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Examiner Moore:

Attached please find the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

- 1. Amendment Transmittal; and
- 2. Amendment A.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney Docket No.: CISCP265/4305

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Examiner: Michael J. Moore, Jr.

Filed: 14 December 2001

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Title: ENHANCED INTERNAL ROUTER

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AMENDMENT TRANSMT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	38	MINUS	38	0	x 25 =	x 50 = 0
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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully submitted that the Examiner enters the following amendments in response to the Office Action dated 9 November 2005 a response to which is due on 9 February 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.